

MATHEMATICS II

Degree(s) : Economics; Management; Finance

Type : Compulsory course unit

Curricular year/semester : 1st year / 2nd Semester

ECTS / hours per week : 6 ECTS / 5.0 Hours

Workload per week : 2 Theoretical x 1.5 Hours + 1 Practical x 2 Hours

Teacher responsible : Professor Manuel Cidraes Castro Guerra

OBJECTIVES

Pursue the objectives of Mathematics I, i.e.:

- To provide a grounding in mathematical tools that are needed for economics.
- To develop rigor and ability to manipulate mathematical methods.
- To increase capacity for solving quantitative problems having applications in economics in view.

PROGRAM

- Eigenvalues and eigenvectors. Quadratic forms (Eigenvalues and eigenvectors. Diagonalization;
 Quadratic forms
- Functions of several variables (Definitions. Domain. Topological notions in Rⁿ Limits and continuity; Patial derivatives and differentiability; Implicit function; Multivariable Optimization. Constrained optimization)
- Differential equations
- Difference equations

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Recommended Bibliography:

• Sydsaeter, K., e P. Hammond, Mathematics for Economic Analysis, Prentice Hall, 1995



Optional Bibliography:

- Agudo, F. Dias, Análise Real, Vol I, Escolar Editora, 1989
- L. Sanchez, Análise em Rn, Ass. de estudantes FCUL. , 0000